BEFORE THE ARIZONA REGULATORY BOARD OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

In the Matter of

KATHLEEN KING, P.A.

In the State of Arizona.

Holder of License No. 3195

For the Performance of Health Care Tasks

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Board Case No. PA-05-0038A

CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR SURRENDER OF ACTIVE LICENSE

By mutual agreement and understanding between the Arizona Regulatory Board of Physician Assistants ("Board") and Kathleen King, P.A. ("Respondent") the parties agree to the following disposition of this matter.

- 1. Respondent acknowledges that she has read and understands this Consent Agreement and the stipulated Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order ("Consent Agreement"). Respondent acknowledges that she understands she has the right to consult with legal counsel regarding this matter and has done so or chooses not to do so.
- 2. Respondent understands that by entering into this Consent Agreement she voluntarily relinquishes any rights to a hearing or judicial review in state or federal court on the matters alleged, or to challenge this Consent Agreement in its entirety as issued by the Board, and waives any other cause of action related thereto or arising from said Consent Agreement.
- 3. Respondent acknowledges and understands that this Consent Agreement will not become effective until approved by the Board and signed by its Executive Director.
- 4. All admissions made by Respondent are solely for final disposition of this matter and any subsequent related administrative proceedings or civil litigation involving the Board and Respondent. Therefore, said admissions by Respondent are not intended or made for any other use, such as in the context of another state or federal government

regulatory agency proceeding, civil or criminal court proceeding, in the State of Artzona or any other state or federal court.

- 5. Respondent acknowledges and agrees that, although the Board has not yet accepted and the Executive Director has not yet issued this Consent Agreement, Respondent may not make any modifications to the document. Upon signing this Consent Agreement, and returning it (or a copy thereof) to the Board's Executive Director, Respondent may not revoke acceptance of the Consent Agreement. Any modifications to this Consent Agreement are ineffective and void unless mutually approved by the parties.
- 6. Respondent further understands that this Consent Agreement is a public record that will be publicly disseminated as a formal disciplinary action of the Board and will be reported to the National Practitioner's Data Bank and will be reported on the Board web site.
- 7. If any part of the Consent Agreement is later declared void or otherwise unenforceable, the remainder of the Consent Agreement in its entirety shall remain in force and effect.

Kathleen King, P.A.

11/17/05 Date

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Board is the duly constituted authority for the regulation and control of the performance of health care tasks in the State of Arizona.
- 2. Kathleen King, P.A., is the holder of License No. 3195 for the performance of health care tasks in the State of Arizona.
- 3. On October 18, 2005 Respondent entered into a Stipulated Rehabilitation Agreement ("SRA") with the Board. The SRA provided, among other things, that Respondent was to submit to random biological fluid collection. Respondent submitted to random biological fluid tests October 25, 2005, October 31, 2005 and November 2, 2005 and tested positive for Tramadol and Meprobamate (Soma).
- 4. Respondent admits the positive biological fluid tests violate the SRA and this violation is an act of unprofessional conduct per A.R.S. § 32-2501(21)(k): A.R.S. § 32-2551(P)(2).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over Respondent.
- 2. The Board may accept the surrender of an active license from a physician assistant who admits to having committed an act of unprofessional conduct. A.R.S. § 32-2551(P)(2).

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT License Number 3195 issued to Kathleen King, P.A. for the performance of health care tasks in the State of Arizona is surrendered and that Kathleen King, P.A. shall immediately return her wallet card and certificate of licensure to the Board.

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